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St. Peter Church of Christ

ELDER H. D. DAVIS, D.D. Pastor

AT

Smithfield, North Carolina

October 17-20, 1944

The next Annual Assembly will be held with the St. Luke Church of Christ on East Elm St., Goldsboro, N. C., on Tuesday before the fourth Sunday in October, 1945. Elder C. E. Williams, Pastor.

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PROCEEDINGS

The 72nd session of the G. & R. Dist. of the Disciples of Christ on the above date at the St. Peter Church of Christ, Smithfield, N. C. Dr. H. D. Davis, Pastor.

Devotional service was conducted by the Chief Dr. H. D. Davis of Kinston, N. C. who lined Hymn No. 214 "My Soul Be On Thy Guard." The Chief then read for a Scripture lesson Matt. 18th chapt. and commented on the same. Prayer was offered by Elder J. D. Jackson. Second Hymn No. 23 at which time we had the hand shake.

The Chief then gave some remarks announced the house in order for business.

The Secretary made his report also the asst. secretary which was received. Next in order was appointment of the various committees.

ON DIVINE WORSHIP—Sisters Mary Daniel, Pearl Borden, Donnie Lee, Rosa Lee Artice, Sadie Vinson, Bro. J. E. Royster.

FINANCE SOLICITORS—Elders P. R. Mewborn, M. L. Lofton

ON FINANCE—Elders J. D. Jackson, J. L. Lee, L. Troublefield.

NEW SCHOOLS—Sisters Rachel Cox, Rosa Richardson, Joe Ella Harris, Carrie Dickens, Bros. Z. D. xEum, D. T. Taylor, Henry Green.

ON STATISTICS—Elders Wm. Hopson, L. D. Wiggs.

ON TEMPERANCE—Sisters Sarah W. Davis, Margaret Bradshaw,

Mildred Robinson, Loretta Lee, Mary Faison, Ida Fisher, Ida Baker.

MARSHALS—Elders K. K. Wiley, Elder F. D. Williams.

NEW CHURCHES—Elders J. A. Edwards, D. C. Artice, R. A. Stuart, C. S. Edwards; Bros. I. V. Dingle, David Kirkman, Sister Alma Cox.

ON GRIEVANCE—Elders W. L. Grantham, W. C. Simmons, James Boykin, J. S. Johnson! Bros. M. B. Bryant, Roy Simmons.

ON EULOGY—Bros. Calvin Hargroves, Jodie Ford; Elder M. L. Aycock.

ON EXAMINATION FOR ORDINATION—Elders W. L. Little, W. M. Grantham, A. B. Aycock, J. R. Best, C. E. Williams.

ON ASSESSIONS—Sisters Lula Swinson, Mary Brewer, C. C. Bradley.

MAIL CARRIER—C. E. Coley

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1944—AFTERNOON SESSION

After the devotional conducted by Elder J. A. Edwards, the Chief Elder Davis announced the house in order for business. It was proposed and agreed that the visiting Brethren have a seat and voice in the bounds. It was proposed and agreed that all public collections go to the new school building fund at Goldsboro, N. C. Carried. It was also proposed and agreed that each minister who preached in this session be given a love offering the Chief also carried. Revenue for the P. M. $971.50.

WEDNESDAY A. M. OCT. 18, 1944

Smithfield, N. C.

In the absence of the Asst. Chief Elder W. B. Parks, the General Chief Dr. E. F. Johnson asked Elder A. B. Aycock to conduct the devotion who lined hymn No. 132 "Bless be the tie that binds." Scripture lesson 91st Psalms. Prayer by Elder C. S. Edwards, second hymn No. 167. He then turned the meeting into the hands of the Chief Dr. Davis who announced the house in order for business. The Minutes of the previous day were read and received. All brethren who were late were brought forward by the marshals, gave their excuse and were excused. Elder E. L. Uzzell and Elder W. C. Simmons were relieved to attend a funeral. After the roll call of Elders the Chief asked the assembly secretary Dr. Jno. D. Henry to present the white brethren who with us. Rev. John W. Waters of the E.C.C. Wilson, N. C. and the C. C. Ware of Wilson, N. C. State Cor. Sec'y. of the N. C. Christian Missionary Convention. These brethren respectively gave a very fine message, which was of much information and encouraging to us all. Come again. Recess for morning worship. Revenue $680.50. See worship period.

WEDNESDAY P. M.

The roll of Elders after which an offering was taken for the following Sister Margaret Bradshaw, Elder A. Parker and J. H. Fraizer amt. $20.00. Given as follows Elder Fraizer $10.00, Elder Parker $5.00, and Sister Bradshaw $5.00. Bro. Alonza Joyner was excused to go home.

We had with us the following Elders from the W. & N. Assembly. The Chief Elder W. H. Peele, Asst. Chief Elder Claud Winstead, Asst. Chief of the N. E. Assembly Elder O. S. Lucas, the Chief of the Southern Assembly Elder W. H. Walker, and the asst. eneral Chief Elder Joseph James who brouht greetings. Response by Elder E. F. Johnson. Their messages were well taken and enjoyed by all present. Report of Committee on Divine Worship received. See report.) P. M. revenue $403.50.

SMITHFIELD, N. C., OCT. 19, 1944

After devotion the Chief arose and announced the house in order for business. It was proposed and agreed that the minutes of the previous day be read. (Carried) Recd. Elder John D. Henry, then read and explained communications from Rev. Tibbs Maxey of Love Land, Ohio, which was commented on by the Chief Elder H. D. Wavis. Elder L. W. Price of the Piedmont Dist. joined the G. & R. Dist. Assembly and the St. Peter Church of Christ at Smithfield, N. C. at this point and was accepted as an ordained Elder upon the face of his present status.

Report of Committee on Temperance recd. (See report.)

Report of Committee on new Churches recd. (See report)

Report of Committee on Grievances recd. (See report.)

Recessed for morning worship. Revenue $500.10.

After devotion the Chief announced the house in order for business. Elder C. E. Williams presented a deed for a plot of land for a church site. (Place) Sampson Co., Keer, N. Car.

We recd. representation from ministers and churches that had not represented.

Deacon W. A. McLaurin of Fayetteville, N. C. president of Bible Sch. Convention Dist. No. 2 was presented who brought us greetings which were enjoyed.

Sister Daisy S. Parks of Goldsboro, N. C. president of the Women's Home Convention of G. & R. Assembly Dist. was presented who brought to us an inspriing message. We need more women lik eSister Parks. Report of Committee on Divine Worship recd. (See report) Revenue $451.00.

Evening session (See Devotional service.)

Rally	$ 307.75
Pub. Col.	13.00
Special donation	100.00
	$420.75
	$603.34
Total for today	$1,024.09

FRIDAY A. M., OCT. 20, 1944

Smithfield, N. C.

After devotion (see devotion.) The minutes of the previous day was read, recd. Election of officers next in order. All annual officers were retained. Vacancies caused by death filled as follows: Council Board. Elder D. F. Holloway; Assembly Treas., Elder W. Y. Best; Superannuate Treas., Elder J. H. Harper. It was proposed and agreed that we pay the Chief $75.00, asst. $50.00 sec'y. $50.00, asst. $25.00. Carried. Sister Mary Simmons of LaGrange brought forward $20.00 for the building fund. Report of Committee on Eulogy, (See report.) Friday A. M. public coll. $27.90.

AFTERNOON SESSION

(See devotion.) The hief announced the house in order for business. It was proposed and agreed that we receive no representations from neither of the conventions until we meet with them in a call meeting and have a better understanding. Carried. It was also proposed and agreed that what ever was done be accepted by the assembly if in line with the general rules. Carried. It was proposed that we meet at the St. Mark Church, Goldsboro, Thursday, Nov. 9, 1944. The Council Board, The Trustee Board, The Executive Board. The Bible sch. com officers Dist. No. 1; the Bible sch com. officers Dist. No. 2 and officers of the W. H. M. convention with the assembly chief and assembly secretary.

Report of Committee on Examination for Ordination recd. (See report)

Report of Committee on Divine Worship recd. (See report)

Report on Committee on Assessation recd (See report)

Sister Sarah W. Davis was elected editor of the Disciple Herald and Sister Schollott Johnson asst. editor.

It was proposed and agreed that the next annual assembly meet with the St. Luke Church of Christ on East Elm St., Goldsboro, N. C., Elder C. E. Williams, Pastor. Date Tuesday before the fourth Lord's Day in Oct. 1945. Another mile in history.

DISBURSEMENTS

Chief Dr. H. D. Davis	$ 75.00
Asst. Chief Eld. W. B. Parks	50.00
Sec'y. Dr. J. D. Henry	50.00
Asst. Sect. Eld. L. H. Bryant	25.00
Assembly treas. Mrs. C. R. D. Whitfield	10.00
Council Board	108.00
Trustee Board	60.00
Finance Committee	26.00
Stististics	20.00
Helper	3.00
Marshals	15.00

Finance Solicitors	25.00
Fraternal Delegates to the W. & N. Assn.	47.40
General Chief	25.00
Church and Pastor	30.00
General Treasurer to Elder A. B. Aycock	150.00
Mail Carrier	5.00
Superannuate Treasurer	100.00
Sister Sarah W. Davis for work	6.00
Sister Daisy S. Parks	5.00
Examination Committee	45.00
Elder for work and cash spent	12.60
For two committee rooms	10.00
To Executive Treasurer	1500.00
To Contractor Bro. Amos Artis	1000.00
To Assembly Treasurer	920.69
	$4,323.69

THOSE WHO DONATED TO THE BUILDING FUND

Dr. E. F. Johnson	$ 5.00	Eld. O. S. Loucas	5.00
Dr. A. B. Aycock	5.00	Eld. W. S. Keys	1.00
Dr. H. D. Davis	5.00	Sister Mary Simmons	20.00
Eld. W. B. Parks	5.00	Deacon J. G. Herring of St. Luke Church, Goldsboro N. C.	5.00
Dr. J. D. Henry	5.00		
Eld. L. H. Bryant	5.00		
Eld. E. Z. Coley	5.00	Deacon Amos Artice of St. Luke Church, Goldsboro, N. C.	100.00
Eld. W. G. Best	5.00		
Eld. N. C. Baker	5.00		
Dr. G. B. Borden	5.00	Eld. Isaac H. Bozeman	5.00
Eld. R. B. Brown	5.00	Eld. F. D. McNeil	5.00
Eld. Henry Artice	5.00	Bro. I. V. Dingle	2.50
Eld. D. C. Artice	5.00	Dr. J. F. McLaurin	5.00
Eld. A. M. Cogdell	5.00	Bro. B. F. Barns	5.00
Eld. A. L. Hart	5.00	Bro. Ralph Yartose	5.00
Eld. D. P. Holloway	5.00	Bro. T. C. Sutton	5.00
Eld. N. H. Holloway	5.00	Bro. Eddie Norman	5.00
Dr. Wm. Hopson	5.00	Sister Daisy Parks	5.00
Eld. J. A. S. Hopson	5.00	Sister Annie Parks	5.00
Eld. J. D. Jackson	5.00	Deacon Calvin Hargrove	5.00
Eld. M. L. Lofton	5.00	Deacon Walter McLaurin	5.00
Eld. J. L. Lee	5.00	Deacon J. J. Cox	5.00
Eld. Wm. King	5.00	Deacon Elvon	5.00
Eld. L. Troublefield	5.00	Deacon Henry Harrison	5.00
Eld. L. D. Wiggs	5.00	Deacon Jodie Ford	1.00
Eld. C. E. Williams	5.00	Deacon Ed. Johnson	1.00
Eld. C. S. Edwards	5.00	Deacon E. L. Battle	5.00
Eld. S. W. R. Keys	5.00	Deacon J. D. Gooding	1.00
Eld. J. H. Harper	5.00	Deacon Walter Barns	1.00
Eld. James Graham	5.00	Deacon Roy Simmons	1.00

CHURCHES THAT GAVE FOR BUILDING FUND

Elm Grove, Pikeville	6.80	St. Mark, Stantonsburg	56.00
Hickory Grove, Kinston	33.00	St. Mark, ichmond, Va.	5.00
Kings Chapel, Kinston	5.00	St. Joseph, Kinston	4.12
Morning Star, Rocky Mount	30.00	St. Luke, Goldsboro	26.10
Virginia work through Bro. J. E. Royster	33.00	St. Rose, Wilson	25.00
Quaker House, Kinston	10.00	St. Peter, Smithfield	145.45
Pleasant Grove, Fayetteville	10.00	Howell Chapel, Selma	17.32
St. Mary, Bailey	70.00	Vine Swamp, Kinston	10.00
		Zion Springs, Bunn	89.75

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXAMINATION FOR ORDINATION

Bro. Chief, we your committee, beg leave to report as follows: We recommend for ordination for Eldership Bros. **L. H. Harper, 92 Reid St., Kinston, N. C.**; E. A. Jones, Rt. 1, Box 63, Bailey, N. C.; J. M. Rhoe, 501 Oak

St., Kinston, N. C.; W. H. Yelverton, Rt. 2, Stantonsburg, N. C.; Isaac H. Bozeman, Hamstead, N. C.; and W. J. Shufford, 13 South 12th St., Wilmington, N. C.

For Evangelistic work: Sister Mary Brewer, 405 Pearl St., Mt. Olive, N. C.; and Sister Sarah W. Davis, 816 Tower Hill Road, Kinston, N. C.

Your Committee.
Elder C. E. Williams
Elder J. R. Best
Elder A. B. Aycock
Elder W. L. Little
Elder W. M. Grantham

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NEW SCHOOLS

Bro. Chief: We your Committee on new schools beg leave to report: We have found one new school located at Mt. Olive, N. C. Church Gethsemane Elder M. L. Aycock, Pastor.

Your Committee,
Sister Rosa Richardson
Sister Rachel Cox
Bro. Z. D. Exum
Bro. Henry Green
Bro. D. T. Faison

REPORT OF GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

Bro. Chief, we your committee beg leave to report. Nothing has been brought to us.

Your Committee,
Bro. M. B. Bryant
Bro. Roy Simmons
Elder James Boykin
Elder W. C. Simmons
Elder D. P. Holloway
Elder J. S. Johnson
Elder W. L. Grantham, sect.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

Bro. Chief, we your Committe on new churches beg leave to report. We find no new churches in G. & R. District.

Your Committee,
Elder J. A. Edwards
Elder D. C. Artice
Elder C. S. Edwards
Sister Alma Cox
Bro. I. V. Dingle
Bro. David Kirkman

REPORT OF ASSESSIONS

Bro. Chief, we your Committee beg leave to report. We find that there has been 812 new members received during 1943-44 in the G. & R. District.

Your Committee,
Sister Lula Swinson
Sister Florence Bradley

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1944

Devotion was conducted by Elders Uzzell and M. L. Aycock. Eld. E. Z. Coley not being present. Elder Aycock lined Hymn No. —— Father I Stuck My Hand to Thee. Rev. Uzzell read the morning lesson from the second chapter of Act Appostals eleven. Then Elder James Edward of Kinston led us to the horn of Grace. Service was further introduced by Elder M. L. Aycock by singing No. 27 Sweet Hour of Prayer. Then the Chief Elder H. D. Davis rose and made some remarks and then announced the house in order for business.

FRIDAY MORNING PREACHING SERVICE

Song by one of the sisters Heaven Belong to You. Another song by a good bro. Am I Right? Hymn No. 145 by Rev. J. D. Henry. Scripture lesson by Rev. J. D. Henry 1: 12-20 Psalm. Prayer by Rev. Williams. Second selection Hymn No. 132. Then Elder J. D. Henry made some remarks

and then he introduced the speaker for us. Elder John who came forward and made some remarks on the eulogies of the deceased Elders C. R. D. Whitefield, J. E. Dunn and others. There were seven of the ministers who have passed to the great beyond.

The Elder Johnson chose for his text 3 chapter of Joshua and the 5th verse. Moses thy servant is dead. Therefor arise thus cross the Jordan. Elder Johnson preached a soul stirring message. We too must cross the Jordan. Then we were favored with a solo: The Day is Passed and Gone. Then Elder Henry turned the meeting to the Chief Elder H. D. Davis who called for the finance solicitor and also a special table to set for the General Chief Elder E. F. Johnson.

For the public	$22.93
For the General Chief Elder E. F. Johnson	27.01
	$49.94

Then the Chief Elder Davis thanked the congregation for their free will offering. The General Chief Elder E. F. Johnson also gave thanks for his donation $27.01.

The Chief Elder Davis adjourned for dinner by using the word Amen.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON DEVOTION SERVICE

Service begun by Elder J. D. Jackson who lined Hymn No. ——. Elder Jackson read the 3 verse of the 18 chapter of Matt. The Elder Jodie Ford led us in prayer. Second Hymn No. 240. Then Elder Jackson turned the meeting to the hand of the Chief, who announced the houes in order for business.

ACTING TREASURER'S REPORT

Received July 18, 1944	$548.32
Paid for Disciple Herald to E. L. Battle, July 24	35.50
Paid for Minutes to Elder J. D. Henry, July 31	72.15
Paid out to Councilmen, Aug. 7	15.00
Paid out Aug. 24 to Elder J. D. Henry for work and mailing	10.00
Paid to E. L. Battle for Disciple Herald, Aug. 29	35.00
Sept. 12, Paid to Bro. Ben Barns on building	150.00
Sept. 6, Paid to Councilmen for work	18.62
Paid to Bro. E. L. Battle Disciple Herald, Sept. 12	35.00
Paid out	$371.27
On hand	177.05
Total	$548.32

H. D. Davis, acting treasurer

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVINE WORSHIP—Oct. 17, 1944

Bro. Chief, we your committe beg leave to report. We recommend that Elder Wm. Hopson preach tonight, Elder M. L. ofton, alternate. Tomorrow at eleven Elder J. L. Lee preach, Elder W. C. Simmons alternate.

Your committee,
Donnie Lee, sec'y.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVINE WORSHIP

Bro. hief, we your committee recommend that Elder Claud Winstead preach tonight, Elder E. Z. Coley, alternate. Tomorrow at eleven, Elder W. S. Keys preach, Elder O. S. Loucas, alternate.

Your Committee,

Sister Rosa Artice	Sister Mary Daniels
Sister Pearl Borden	Sister Donnie Lee
Sister Sadie Vinson	Bro. Alfonzo Joyner

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVINE WORSHIP

We your committee recommend that Elder E. F. Johnson preach tonight and Elder Joseph Jones alternate. On tomorrow at eleven Elder W. H. Peele preach and Elder A. B. Aycock alternate. And on tomorrow night Elder O. S. Loucas preach and Elder G. B. Borden alternate.

Your Committee,

Bro. R. C. Royster	Sister Sadie Vinson
Sister Mary Daniel	Sister Pearl Borden
Sister Rosa Lee Artice	Sister Donnie ee, Sec.

REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

To the Chief and members of the 72nd Annual Assembly in session greetings in the name of Christ. We beg leave to report. We find that all of the ministers are living temperate lives as far as we know. We are told to speak that that we do know, and testify that we have seen. John 3-15.

Your Committee,

Sister Sarah W. Davis — Sister Mary Faison
Sister Mildred Robinson — Sister Ida Fisher
Sister Lousetta Lee — Sister Ida Baker

Sister Margaret Bradshaw, Sec.

REPORT OF COUNCILMEN

Smithfield, N. C., Oct. 18, 1944

Bro. Chief we the Councilmen of the G. & R. District beg leave to report. We had before us the matter of the St. Peter Church at Farmville, which we placed in the hands of the pastor to get a deed for the same.

We also had a charge brought to us by the wife of Elder K. K. Wiley, after carefully examining the matter he is to report to us at the Joint Union, Vine Swamp, Kinston, N. C.

This board is asking our Chief Elder H. D. Davis to meet this board at the church in Selma with the Howell Chapel Church of Christ Congregation (members) and Elder P. R. Mewborn to hold their election for a pastor for 1944-45. Date to be set.

Your Committee,

Elders W. G. Best — Elders D. P. Holloway
Elders E. Z. Coley — Elders J. H. Harper
Elders A. Parker

Goldsboro, N. C., October 19, 1944

The Goldsboro-Raleigh Assembly in Session
Smithfield, North Carolina
Greetings:

Brother Chief and Brethren, we the Trustees of the Goldsboro-Raleigh Assembly wish to make the following report:

Receipts

Brought forward from 1943	$ 185.69
Rent from building	58.75
Aug.—Received from Executive Board	1,000.00
Sept. 13—Dr. H. D. Hillery and Rev. Olin Fox N.C.C. M. Convention	135.00
Sept. 15—Assembly,Rev. H. D. Davis, Treasurer	150.00
Oct. 13—Rev. H. D. Davis—Lumber (payment)	50.00
Total	$1,579.44

Disbursements

Nov. 18, 1943 to L. A. Denning, Fire Ins.	$ 10.55
Jan. 17, 1944 for Board Meeting at St. Luke	14.73
Feb. 4, Surveying School Property	22.05
Feb. 27, onsultation with Clerk of Court relative to sch. prop.	17.50
May 13, Re-surveying land	20.00
May 16, Anniversary at Greenleaf Ch.-Trus.	16.00
July 10, To Rev. P. R. Mewborn, razing old school building	40.00
July 17, To Rev. O. Hood, cleaning bricks	10.00
Aug. 25, To Bro. Amos Artis, Contractor	300.00
Aug. 30, Trustee meeting	16.55
Sept. 1, To L. E. Warrick for digging out basement	200.00
Sept. 4, To Amos Artis, Contractor	340.39
Trustee meeting	26.25
Oct. 13, Gen. Council and Trustee meeting	34.19
To Bro. Amos Artis, Contractor	400.00
Oct. 14, To L. A. Denning, Ins. Agent	4.20
Total	$1,478.41
Balance	101.03
	$1,579.44

Respectfully submitted,

B. F. Barnes, Treas.
W. M. Grantham
Trustees

Rev. P. R. Mewborn
Rev. C. E. Williams
J. F. McLaurin

Morning worship was begun by singing a few voluntary songs. Elder L. Troublefield then came forward and lined Hymn No. 151 and read for a lesson Eph. 4 chapter 1-17. Prayer was offered by Rev. N. C. Sanders, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Clayton, N. C. After the second hymn Elder Troublefield presented Elder W. M. Grantham who came forward and delivered the guide sermon choosing for his text Phil. 2-5 sub. having the mind of Christ. The sub. matter was fine, the discourse was wonderful and filled with the spirit.

Elder Troublefield then extended the invitation and turned the meeting into the hands of the Chief who after a few remarks called for Dr. Martin, who spoke to us relative to the physical life. Then the Chief called for the finance solicitors who came forward, lifted an offering to the amt. of $15.00. We were then dismissed for lunch.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Devotion was conducted by Elder J. A. Edwards, who lined Hymn No. 150 and read for a lesson John 3rd chapter. Bro. M. B. Bryant led in prayer. The Chief then arose and announced the house in order for business. (See order of business.)

TUESDAY NIGHT SESSION

Devotion was conducted by Elder M. L. Lofton, who lined Hymn No. 224. Music was rendered by the local church choir. Invocation by Elder Lofton, who read for a lesson 11 verses of 1st Cor. Prayer was offered by Elder J. H. Harper. The meeting was then turned into the hands of the Chief who in turn presented Mrs. Flossie Sanders, Mistress of Ceremonies who gave a program of welcome as follows:

General Welcome ..... Miss Mozelle Williams
On behalf of the community ..... Rev. N. C. Sanders
Solo ..... Mrs. Flossie Sanders
On Behalf of the City Churches ..... Rev. Harris
Pastor of the Presbyterian Church
On Behalf of the Schools ..... Prof. W. R. Collins
Principal of J. C. T. S., Smithfield
Solo ..... Miss Marie Whitley
Response ..... Elder John D. Henry
Solo ..... Bro Charlie Wilson
Arapahoe, N. C.

Elder Loften then arose and called for a spiritual by the choir and presented the minister Elder Wm. Hopson of Va. who chose for his text: 2 Tim. 3-16. Subject the purpose and value of the Scriptures. The speaker handled his subject and discourse in a masterly way which was enjoyed by all.

After the invitation the offering was lifted to the amount of $26.60. We were then give homes and dismissed to meet at 9:30 A. M., Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1944.

WEDNESDAY MORNING—OCT. 19 1944

After devotion Elder A. S. Hart arose and read for a lesson Romans 8th chapter and called upon Dr. O. S. Loucas to lead in prayer. After which he presented Elder J. L. Lee who chose for his text John 9:4-7. Elder Lee was at his best and fire burned within our hearts.

After the invitation Elder W. B. Parks, the Asst. Chief made some remarks and the offering was lifted to the amt. of $15.00. We were recessed for lunch to return at 2:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Elder Harper conducted the devotion and turned the meeting into the hands of the Chief, who arose and announced the house in order for business. (See order of business.)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PREACHING SERVICE—OCT. 18, 1944

After congregational singing, a selection was led by the choir. Responsive Scripture reading led by the pastor. Eld. E. P. Parker then lined No. 123. Music rendered by the choir. Scripture Matt. 5 1-15. Elder A. Parker led in prayer. No. 134 was sung by the choir. Elder E. P. Parker then arose and presented Elder Claud Winstead, Asst. Chief of the W. & N. Assembly who chose for his text St. Luke 19-4. Subject Getting in the Faith of the Christ. Elder Winstead preached a powerful sermon and all

were spiritually fed by this gospel minister. Invitation solo by Miss Marie Whitley. Offering was lifted to the amount of $25.00. We were dismissed until 9:30 Thursday A. M.

THURSDAY MORNING PREACHING SERVICE—OCT. 19, 1944

After praise service Elder M. L. Lofton read for a lesson St. Mark 13: 1-10. Prayer was offered by Eld. Henry Beaman. By special request Sister Cora Brewington sang a solo. Elder Lofton then presented Elder W. S. Keys who chose for his text John 4:11. Subject: The Value of Contents from the Deep. His sermon was rich in thought and spirit filled. Offering $36.27. Recessed for lunch until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

After devotion conducted by Elder C. E. Williams the Chief announced the house in order for business. (See order of business.)

THURSDAY NIGHT PREACHING SERVICE—OCT. 19, 1944

After praise service, the choir of the St. Peter Church of Christ, Kinston took the station. Elder Joseph James the Asst. General Chief read for a lesson Acts 9th chapter. Prayer was offered by Elder E. Z. Coley. Selection by the choir. Elder James presented Elder W. H. Peele, Chief of the W. & N. District who arose and took for his text Matt. 26:42. Elder Peele preached a powerful sermon. After the invitation the solicitors came and lifted an offering to the amount of $13.00. This being Educational Rally night, we raised as follows:

Public rally	$ 423.75
Churches	579.34
Badges	15.00
Donated by Deacon Amos Artice	100.00
W. & N. Assembly District	75.00
Grand Total	$1,171.09

"Thanks a lot"

We were dismissed to return at 9:30 A. M. Friday, Oct. 20, 1944.

FRIDAY MORNING PREACHING SERVICE

Devotion was led by Eld. A. B. Aycock who read for a lesson Eph. 5th chapter and lined hymn No. 68. Prayer was offered by Elder R. A. Stuart. After a spiritual being led by Eld. Aycock, he turned the meeting into the hands of the Chief, who announced the house in order for business. (See order of business.)

FRIDAY PREACHING SERVICE

After setting about six brethren for the ministry the choir rendered a selection and Eld. G. B. Borden the Scripture Lesson and Eld. W. H. Walker led in prayer. The choir rendered the second selection and the offering was raised to the amount of $———. After which Eld. Borden presented Eld. Loucas who chose for his text John 3:14. Subject: Destroying Snakes.

The speaker delivered a wonderful sermon. The closing remarks and invitation was extended by Eld. Borden. P. S. An after offering was taken for Eld. Loucas to the amt. of $19.22. Dismissed by Dr. G. B. Borden.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., THURSDAY, NOV. 9, 1944

The one day session of the G. & R. Assembly Dist. met at the St. Mark Church of Christ, Elder J. F. McLaurin, Pastor.

Elder H. D. Davis Presiding Chief read John the 17th chapter for a lesson. Prayer was offered by Deacon Guy Moore. After devotion, the Chief announced the house in order for business. The report of Bible Sch. Convention Dist. No. 1 was made which stated that it had in trea. $901.00

Bible Sch. Convention Dist. No. 2 was made which stated that it had in trea. $521.42. The W. H. M. Convention made its report which stated that it had in trea. $1476.20. After hearing the said reports they were recd. by the house.

It was proposed and agreed that Bro. E. L. Battle the mgr. of the S. L. T. bring to the Joint Union a full report of operation of the last term of the L. T. S. & Y. P. C. Carried. Recessed for lunch.

2:30 P. M.

After devotion the Chief Eld. Davis announced the house in order for

St. Joseph, Kinston, N. C.		F. N. McNight	12	5	4	1	50	125	50.00	250.00	10.00	172.20	1000	2	4
St. Mary, Dillon, S. C.	J. L. Lee	Pearl Borden	6	6			25	25	25.00	200.00	10.00	340.00	1500	1	3
St. Mark, Goldsboro, N. C.	J. F. McLaurin	Calvin Hargrove	23	13	2	2	85	150	50.00	555.00	107.00	1092.20	1000		4
St. Mark, LaGrange, N. C.	H. L. Wordard	Fannie May Richson	17	8	1		30	75	15.00	25.00	25.00	15.00	600		4
St. Mark, Stantonsburg, N. C.	F. W. Williams	Rosie Lee Artis	12	5		2	71	200	50.00	30.25	80.00	105.78	4500		2
St. Mark, Richmond, Va.	W. L. Grantham	Rena Cox	5		4		25	42	12.00	66.00	36.45	171.86	3000	2	4
St. Matthew, Zebulon, N. C.	R. B. Brown		1				12	17	12.00	45.00	25.50		300		4
St. Luke, Goldsboro, N. C.	C. E. Williams	Walter Barns	30	18		1	75	125	63.00	5015.00	88.50	186.00	12000	1	3
St. Luke, Mt. Olive, N. C.	H. D. Davis	W. J. Exum	3	3		1	55	200	55.00	480.20		3.00	2500		1
St. Paul, Ayden, N. C.	W. B. Parks	By Letter	10	5			40	145	35.00	236.55	34.50	177.38	2000		1
St. Paul, Black Creek, N. C.															
St. Paul, Clinton, N. C.	M. L. Lofton	By Letter	18	15	1		47	108	40.05	320.38	60.00	170.00	2500	2	4
St. Paul, Brooklyn, N. Y.															
St. Paul, Wilson, N. C.	E. Z. Coley	By Letter	8	8	5		55	109	47.00	547.01	35.00	455.68	3000		4
St. Paul, Newbern, N. C.	A. Parker	By Letter	4	5		2	25	67	16.00	236.58	30.00	45.75	2000		1
St. Paul, No. 1, Zebulon, N. C.	N. C. Baker	By Letter	3				10	20	10.00	100.00	10.00		1100		2
St. Paul, No. 2, Zebulon, N. C.	G. T. Taylor		21	19			75	150	30.00	150.00	35.00	500.00	2500		1
St. Paul, Goldsboro, N. C.	W. C. Simmons	W. M. Stotor	7				5	5	9.00	200.00	30.00		700		3
St. Peter, Farmville, N. C.	J. D. Jackson	By Letter	3	1			25	30	21.00	250.00	25.00		2000		3
St. Peter, Kinston, N. C.	S. W. R. Keys	By Letter	103	50		3	300	648	170.00	760.00	5.00	200.00	12000	2	4
St. Peter, Smithfield, N. C.	H. D. Davis	A. A. Richson	29	14	2	3	100	165	100.00	960.00	25.25	620.75	4000	2	4
St. Steven, Trenton, N. C.	W. C. Simmons	Henry Green	5	4	1		20	83	20.00	358.24		40.00	2000		2
St. Steven, Princeton, N. C.	K. K. Wiley	Rosy Richson	3			3	22	49	21.00	135.00		200.50	1000		2
St. Jude, Warsaw, N. C.	Henry Berman	By Letter	3	1			8	9	10.00	97.31	40.00	24.19			3
Shilo, Grifton, N. C.	A. Parker	Ida Baker	1				15	30	15.00	100.00	25 00	78.00	500		2
Snow Hill, Wade, N. C.	A. B. Aycock	By Letter	6	3		1	14	14	14.00	150.00			1500		1
Union Grove, Clinton, N. C.	J. F. McLaurin	Rachel Cox	25	15	3	6	75	400	30.00	300.00	75.00	185.00	2500		3
Vine Swamp, Kinston, N. C.	J. R. Lovick	Roy Simmons	24	16		2	300	540	160.00	412.47	35.00	310.00	4000		2
Weeping Mary, Arapahoe, N. C.	E. Z. Coley	C. H. Boomer					16	39	20.00	292.20	89.00	103.50	1000		1
Mt. Zion, Youngsville, N. C.	G. T. Taylor		27	18			75	80	15.00	238.25	40.00	80.00	2500		3
Zion Light, Norfolk, Va.	J. A. Jones	By Letter	15	13			50	75	15.00	208.52	35.00	180.00	4000		3
Zion Spring, Bunn, N. C.	H. D. Davis	Caria Dickens	4	3	2		37	108	40.00	393.60	28.00	30.00	2000		3
Bible Sch. Con. Dist. No. 1															
Bible Sch. Con. Dist. No. 2															
W. H. M. Convention															
Mt. Zion, alypso, N. C.	W. B. Parks	Mildred Robinson	15	8		2	35	125	22.00	196.33			2000		3
St. Rose, Wilson, N. C.	E. F. Johnson	Sadie Vinson	40	20		2	245	340	79.75	1000.00	100.00	225.00	4000		1
St. Mary, Bailey, N. C.	F. W. Williams	By Letter	40	30			51	98	51.10	400.00	50.00	500.00	2000		3
Fineville Chapel, Clayton, N. C.	C. S. Edwards	By Letter					8	20	10.00	30.00		10.00	1000		2
Piney Grove, Washington, N. C.	Jas. Graham	By Letter	4	3			30	30	10.00	150.00	25.00	50.00	2000		3
New Church															
Gethesame, Mt. Olive, N. C.	M. L. Aycock	By Letter					6	9	2.00						4
St. James, Kerr, N. C.	J. D. Henry	Fannie West	12	1			18	18	12.00	66.65	27.00		2000		2
Piny Grove, Arapahoe, N. C.									20.00						

CHURCH & POST OFFICE	PASTOR FOR 1944-45	DELEGATE FOR 1944	Received	Baptized	Excluded	Died	Financial Membership	Total Membership	General Contribution	Paid Pastor	Paid Other Preachers	Local Expenses	Value of Church Propert	Preaching Sunday
Alum Spring, Dover, N. C.														
Antioch, Clayton, N. C.	E. C. Coley	By Letter					5	5	15.00	60.00	10.00	64.00	700	2
Antioch, Hookerton, N. C.	F. W. Williams	By Letter	15	10			40	55	30.00	395.00	60.00	500.00	2000	1
Clifton Chapel. Wilson, N. C.	F. W. Williams	By Letter	1				20	30	22.00	265.00	32.50	127.20	1500	4
Elm Grove, Pikeville, N. C.	E. Z. Coley	Jodia Ford	15	12	3	2	69	193	69.00	360.45	50.00	140.00	2000	2
Flat Rock, Sims, N. C.	W. I. Hawkins	By Letter	1				10	14	6.00	80.00	15.00	30.00	2000	4
Grainger Chapel, Grainger, N. C.	J. A. Edwards	Ida M. Fisher	12	9		2	124	127	25.00	295.00	47.00	24.90	1600	3
Gethsemane, Mt. Olive, N. C.														
Greenleaf, Goldsboro, N. C.	W. S. Keys	B. F. Barns	4	2		7	125	413	125.00	146.98	146.98	165.00	4000	1 3
Heath Chapel, Kinston, N. C.	A. Parker	Joe Chapman	10	1		2	15	35	15.00	293.52	25.00	195.00	2000	4
Hickory Grove, Kinston, N. C.	C. E. Williams	David Kirken	7	7	2	1	60	75	60.00	500.00	25.00		2000	4
Holly Hill, Best, N. C.	J. H. Harper	D. T. Taylor	7	4		2	100	155	100.00	411.48	95.00	202.08	3000	2
Holly Grove, Clinton, N. C.	J. H. Harper	Lonnie Faison	22	15		2			30.00	302.01	25.00	15.00	2000	4
Howell Chapel, Selma, N. C.									58.50					
Kings Chapel, Kinston, N. C.	J. H. Harper	Mattie Green	21	10		2	50	200	53.00	375.60	75.00	75.00	3000	1
Lattis Chapel, Stem, N. C.	N. C. Baker	By Letter	3				5	10	5.00	60.00			2000	3
Little Rock, Pikeville, N. C.	W. M. King	By Letter				1	15	18	8.00	70.00	7.00	10.00	1500	4
Little Creek, Ayden, N. C.	E. Z. Coley	Geo. Taylor	26	19		1	100	2200	60.00	400.00	28.00	205.00	3500	3
Morning Star, Rocky Mt., N. C.	J. H. Harper	C. C. Bradley	17	12		1	50	83	50.00	401.65	50.00	173.05	1500	3
Morning, Skipper, Va.														
Moses Chapel, Faison, N. C.	M. L. Lofton	Mary U. Faison	12	9			63	153	40.00	360.00	40.00	145.00	2500	2
Mt. Sinai, Goldsboro, N. C.	K. K. Wiley	By Letter				1	15	15	4.00	41.00	4.00	8.00	9300	4
Grifton Chapel, Grifton, N. C.	J. F. McLaurin	By Letter	15	7			115	144	50.00	1800.00	29.00	37.00	2000	1
Mt. Olive, Lawrenceville, Va.	W. M. Hopson	By Letter	1				21	29	10.50	200.00	150.00	295.00	800	3
Pleasant Grove, Freeman, Va.	W. M. Hopson	By Letter	1				25	60	12.50	122.00	105.00	50.00	1800	4
Pleasant Grove, Fayetteville, N. C.	E. F. Johnson	By Letter	15	6			80	125	65.00	940.00	60.00	176.38	5000	2 4
Pleasant Union, Goldsboro, N. C.	C. W. McLaurin	Lorette Lee	5	1			25	70	25.00	240.00	25.00	25.00	2000	1
Phillippi, Greenville, N. C.	J. F. McLaurin	Mary Daniels	20	10	5		75	140	50.00	675.87	70.20	147.31	1800	2
Rouse Chapel, Kinston, N. C.	E. P. Parker	By Letter	11	10		2	30	100	20.00	200.00	17.00	20.00	1700	3
Quaker House, Comfort, N. C.	W. M. Grantham	Moner A. Jones	12	12		1	24	40	20.00	2557.73	75.00	25.00	2000	3
Running Branch, Clinton, N. C.	G. B. Borden	By Letter	6	3			40	75	13.50	180.00	21.00	35.00	2000	1
St. James, Elm City, N. C.	W. M. Hopson	Alfonzo Joyner	9	6	1		28	49	20.00	185.84	33.00	75.00	1100	2
St. James, Goldsboro, N. C.	D. C. Artis	By Letter	8				12	12	50.00	10.00				2
St. James, Fountain, N. C.	W. B. Parks	Robert Sevin	16	9			97	97	50.00	261.00	62.00	71.00	2000	4
St. James, LaGrange, N. C.	E. L. Uzzell	Ida Cox	7	3			35	80	30.00	269.71	50.00	632.09	2500	4
St. James, Vanceboro, N. C.	L. M. Lotton	By Letter	12	6		1	50	75	50.00	22196.00		75.00	1500	1
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business. It was proposed and agreed that we get a charter for our General Assembly. That the Chief Eld. H. D. Davis should look after that matter when he goes to Plymouth, N. C. and meet the W. & N. brethren.

The three conventions Bible Sch. Dist. No. 1, Bible Sch. Dist. No. 2 and the W. H. M. respectively donated to the Executive Board to be turned over to the Trustee Board for the new school building $100.00.

It was proposed and agreed that we pay the Asst. Chief $37.50 for services rather than $50. Carried. We were dismissed by the Chief Elder H. D. Davis.

ROLL OF CHURCHES AND POST OFFICES

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Alum Springs, Dover, N. C.	
Antioch, Clayton, N. C.	2.00
Antioch, Hookerton, N. C.	30.00
Clifton Chapel, Wilson, N. C.	22.00
Elm Grove, Pikeville, N. C.	69.00
Flat Rock, Simms, N. C.	6.00
Grainger Chapel, Grainger, N. C.	25.00
Gethsemaine, Mt. Olive, N. C.	2.00
Greenleaf, Goldsboro, N. C.	125.00
Grifton Chapel, Grifton, N. C.	50.00
Heath Chapel, Grifton, N. C.	15.00
Hickory Grove, Kinston, N. C.	60.00
Holly Grove, Clinton, N. C.	30.00
Holly Hill, Best, N. C.	100.00
Howell Chapel, Selma, N. C.	58.50
Kings Chapel, Kinston, N. C.	53.00
Lattis Chapel, Stem, N. C.	5.00
Little Rock, Pikeville, N. C.	9.00
Little Creek, Ayden, N. C.	60.00
Morning Star, Rocky Mt., N. C.	50.00
Morning Star, Skipper, Va.	
Moses Chapel, Faison, N. C.	40.00
Mt. Sinai, Goldsboro, N. C.	4.00
Mt. Zion, Calypso, N. C.	22.00
Mt. Olive, Lawrenceville, Va.	10.50
Pleasant Grove, Freeman, Va.	12.50
Pleasant Grove, Fayetteville, N. C.	65.00
Pleasant Union, Goldsboro, N. C.	25.00
Phillippi, Greenville, N. C.	50.00
Piney Grove, Woodington, N. C.	10.00
Piney Grove, Arapahoe, N. C.	20.00
Pineville Chapel, Clayton, N. C.	10.00
Quaker House, Kinston, N. C.	20.00
Rouse Chapel, Kinston, N. C.	15.00
Running Branch, Clinton, N. C.	13.00
St. James, Elm City, N. C.	20.00
St. James, Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
St. James, Fountain, N. C.	50.00
St. James, LaGrange, N. C.	30.00
St. James, Vanceboro, N. C.	50.00
St. John, Dover, N. C.	30.00
St. John, Scott Hill, N. C.	15.00
St. John, Louisburg, N. C.	5.00
St. Joseph, Kinston, N. C.	50.00
St. Mary, Bailey, N. C.	51.00
St. Mary, Dillon, S. C.	25.00
St. Mark, Goldsboro, N. C.	53.00
St. Mark, LaGrange, N. C.	13.00
St. Mark, Stantonsburg, N. C.	50.00
St. Mark, Richmond, Va.	12.00
St. James, Keric, N. C.	12.00
St. Matthew, Zebulon, N. C.	12.00
St. Luke, Goldsboro, N. C.	63.00
St. Luke, Mt. Olive, N. C.	55.00
St. Paul, Ayden, N. C.	35.00

St. Paul, Black Creek, N. C.	
St. Paul, Clinton, N. C.	40.05
St. Paul, Brooklyn, N. Y.	
St. Paul, Wilson, N. C.	47.00
St. Paul, New Bern, N. C.	16.00
St. Paul, Zebulon, N. C., No. 1	10.00
St. Paul, Zebulon, N. C., No. 2	30.00
St. Paul, Goldsboro, N. C.	9.00
St. Peter, Farmville, N. C.	21.00
St. Peter, Kinston, N. C.	170.00
St. Peter, Smithfield, N. C.	100.00
St. Stevens, Trenton, N. C.	20.00
St. Stevens, Princeton. N. C.	21.00
St. Jude, Warsaw, N. C.	10.00
St. Rose, Wilson, N. C.	80.00
Shiloh, Grifton, N. C.	15.00
Snow Hill, Wade, N. C.	14.00
Union Grove, Clinton, N. C.	20.00
Vine Swamp, Kinston, N. C.	160.00
Weeping Mary, Arapahoe, N. C.	20.00
Mt. Zion, Youngsville, N. C.	15.00
Zion Springs, Bunn, N. C.	40.00
Zion Light, Norfolk, Va.	15.00

DELEGATES

J. D. Ford, Pikeville	$3.00	Sadie Vinson, Wilson	3.00
Ida Fisher, Grainger	3.00	Annie Whitney	3.00
David Kirkman	3.00	Lossie Wilson	3.00
Donnie Lee, Selma	3.00	Rachel Cox, Trenton	3.00
Mary Faison, Faison	3.00	Carrie Dickens, Bunn	3.00
Mildred Robson, Calypso	3.00	Mary Ward, Mt. Olive	3.00
Loretter Lee	3.00	L. D. Sutton, Pikeville	3.00
Mary Daniel, Greenville	3.00	F. N. McKnight, Kinston	3.00
Alfonzo Joyner, Freeman, Va.	3.00	Fannie Mac Roberson	3.00
Alma Cox, LaGrange	3.00	Roy Simmon, LaGrange	3.00
Ella L. Howard, Middlesex	3.00	Joela Harris	3.00
Pearl Borden, Dillon, S. C.	3.00	Sis. C. C. Bradley, Rocky Mt.	3.00
Calvin Hargrove, Goldsboro	3.00	Esther Edward	3.00
Rena Cox, Kinston	3.00	Zadock Exum, Smithfield	3.00
B. Frank Barns, Goldsboro	3.00	Walter Barn, Goldsboro	3.00
Mattie Green, Kinston	3.00	Lonnie Faison	3.00
D. F. Taylor, LaGrange	3.00	W. J. Exum	3.00
Maner Jones, Kinston	3.00	Joe Chapman	3.00
Rose Lee Artis, Goldsboro	3.00	Fannie West	3.00
Henry Green, Trenton	3.00	Robert Swain	3.00
Henry Beam, Clinton	3.00	Rosa L. Richardson	3.00
Ida Baker	3.00		

Dr. E. F. Johnson, Box 34, Dover, N. C.	$5.00
Dr. A. B. Aycock, Rt. 2, Box 100, Faison, N. C.	5.00
Dr. H. D. Davis, 816 Tower Hill Rd., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Eld. W. B. Barks, 335 Coleman Ave.. Rocky Mount, N. C.	5.00
Dr. Jno. D. Henry, 121 Front St., Clayton, N. C.	5.00
Eld. L. H. Bryant, Grifton, N. C	500
Dr. C. R. D. Whitfield, 216 E. Shine St., Kinston, N. C.	Deceased
Eld. J. E. Dunn, Rt., Kinston, N. C.	Deceased
Eld. E. Z. Coley, 306 Pender St., Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Eld. W. G. Best, Box 111, Selma, N. C.	5.00
Eld. J. R. Best, Mt. Olive. N. C.	5.00
Eld. N. C. Baker, Bunn, N. C.	5.00
Eld. G. B. Barden, Dillon, S. C.	5.00
Eld. R. B. Brown, Rt. 2, Zebulon, N. C.	5.00
Eld. N. R. Barns	
Eld. W. W. Bryant, Rocky Mt., N. C.	5.00
Eld. J. H. Artice, Rt.	5.00
Eld. J. H. Armstrong, 503 W. Elm St., Goldsboro, N. C.	

Eld. Fred Ashford, 5513 South St., Kinston, N. C. ____
Eld. F. D. Ashford, Clinton, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Henry Artice, Box 199, Goldsboro, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. John Adams, 21 Brown Ave., New Bern, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. H. R. Barns, Smithfield, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. G. C. Anderson, Bunn ____ 5.00
Eld. Geo. Blunt, Maxton, N. C. ____
Eld. D. C. Artice, Goldsboro, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Henry Beaum, Clinton, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. M. L. Aycock, Rt. 2, Box 100, Faison, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. J. T. Cox, Trenton. N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. J. S. Car, Grifton, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Willie Carroll, Clinton, N. C. ____
Eld. E. C. Coley, Smithfield, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. A. M. Cogdell, Kinston, N. C., Rt. 1 ____ 5.00
Eld. N. B. Chapman, Dover, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Joseph Davis, 409 W. Baker St., Richmond, Va. ____
Eld. J. A. Edwards, 405 Orion St., Kinston, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. J. H. Fraizer, Goldsboro, N. C. ____ Excused
Eld. James Graham, Rt. 5, Box 270, Kinston, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Wm. Grantham, Box 563, Clinton, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. Willie Gaeoris, Ayden, N. C. ____
Eld. C. H. Gooding, Grifton, N. C. ____ 5.00
Eld. A. L. Hart, Bailey, N. C. ____ 5.00
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Eld. Arthur Hood, Goldsboro, N. C. ____ 5.00
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Eld. J. S. Johnston, Goldsboro, N. C. ____ 5.00
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Eld. Isaac H. Boyeman, Hamstead, N. C. ____ 5.00
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Eld. E. P. Parker, Kinston, N. C. ____ 5.00
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Eld. C. D. Royal, Clinton, N. C. 5.00
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Eld. C. E. William, 906 Mt. Olive, N. C. 5.00
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Sister Annie Barn, Rose Hill $2.50
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Mrs. Corndla Jamison, 222 Dowrey Ave., Indianaplios, Md.

RESOLUTIONS

1. Dropped.

2. Each apportionment shall have a different treasurer, and all collectors shall deposit the funds collected in the treasury for which it is colected, and that no draft on these funds shall be paid out unless signed by the Annual Assembly Chief and Annual Assembly Secretary.

SPECIAL FOR THE GOLDSBORO INSTITUTE

a. Teacrer's salary, expense funds and all other funds shall be paid directly by the treasurer of the educational fund upon requisition by the president of the institute upon regular forms signed by the chairman and secretary of the Trustee Board, a copy of which shall be sent to the Assembly secretary and educational treasurer for his payment.

b. The principal shall file a written report with the chairman of the board once each month, giving average daily attendance and running expenses, and report annually to the Assembly, giving complete detailed report.

c. The Trustee Board shall report annually to the Assembly, and their report shall comprise the total monthly reports of the institute.

4. Be it resolved, that, the Assembly appropriate for, and turn over to the Standard Leadership Training School as long as it exists, not less than one hundred dollars (100.00) annually, for the purpose of religious education. And, be it further resolved, that the Bible School Conventions, 1 and 2, and the W. H. M. Convention represent in the Annual Assembly of the G. R. D. with $15.00 each.

5. The said monies shall not be paid out nor used for any other purpose without the consent of the Annual Assembly. (Institute closed.)

6. Be it resolved, that all of the annual officers of the Assembly be elected at the close of the Assembly for the next year, and they shall be elected by the house. Be it further resolved, that the general officers be elected by the same method.

7. Be it resolved, that the Annual Assemblies open on Tuesday and close on Friday of the same week at their scheduled times, except the Northeastern, which will open and close at will, as to time.

8. Be it resolved, that the General Assembly own and operate a paper, and that its officers be appointed by the General Assembly.

9. Be it resolved, that the Secretary and Chief of the Annual Assembly, and the Secretary and Chief of the General Assembly respectively, prepare the programs for their Assemblies.

10. Be it resolved, that the General Secretary shall received $20.00 per session, and pay for special service at any other time.

11. Be it resolved, that the General Chief shall not be an Annual Chief, and, be it further resolved, that the General Chief shall received $15.00 annually, and $20.00 at the general session.

12. Be it resolved, that the various auxiliaries of the Assembly districts shall enroll all ordained ministers as members by virtue of their ordination.

13. There shall be two Bible School Conventions in the G. R. D., known as No. 1 and No. 2, which shall meet annually at such set time as they may determine.

14. Be it resolved, that any church shall have the right to elect its pastor from either of the districts of the various Assemblies, provided, however, that each church represents in its respective Assembly, and that the pastor see that this provision is carried out, or he shall be disqualified as pastor of said church by his Assembly.

15. Be it resolved that the Joint Council meet every two years following the General Assembly on Tuesday after the second SUNDAY in March, and that the Northeast brethren be permitted to meet with them.

16. Be it resolved, that the Assistant Chief of the Northeast district serve on their council board.

17. Dropped

18. Be it resolved, that each pastor encourage the Bible school to represent in the Bible School Convention, and give the Convention his support. That, the Conventions report annually to the Assembly.

19. No brother with the disciples shall be set apart to preach unless he has a common school education, a working knowledge of the Bible, and a good Christian character.

20. All ministers who accept the pastorate of a church or churches, shall serve for the period chosen if possible, and no minister shall promise to, or pastor two churches whose days of servi ceand hours are the same.

21. No man coming from the denominations shall be set apart to preach for the disciples until he understands the gospel as taught by the disciples. No young brother who has been brought up among the disciples shall be set apart to preach the gospel until the pastor and congregation are well satisfied that he is qualified, but he shall be given power to exercise his gift; and all local preachers shall cooperate with their pastors.

22. All congregatioss shall give letters of recommendation when requested. All members who leave their church for 12 months shall ask for a certificate of absence. All members who are away from their church for more than three months shall correspond at least every three months.

23. All elders are requested to represent with $2.50, and delegates with $1.50.

24. Any member of the church found intemperate shall be tried by the church and if found guilty shall be expelled until reformed.

25. Any elder found interfering with any congregation of which he is not pastor or member, trying to divide it, shall be silenced.

26. When a pastor has resigned a church or a new pastor called, the church shall send a letter of commendation to the Assembly respecting his honor as he has done.

27. In towns of less than 5,000 inhabitants, no preacher is allowed to build a new church nearer an old one than one-half mile without the consent of the council board and the Assembly; and in the country, four miles.

28. Any minister belonging to the disciples who knowingly does not conform to the agreements of the General Assembly, or uses his influence in his congregation for the same, shall not be elected to any office or appointment of the General Assembly.

29. That any member of any local congregation who does not do his or her duty shall not be allowed any voice in the congregation, nor be elected as a delegate to Assembly, Union meeting, or any other important meeting.

30 Each member shall pay 50 cents annually to the Assembly.

31. There shall be a children's day each year for the Bible School Convention in the G. R. D., and church extension in the W. N. D.

32. No money shall be paid out of the Assembly treasury without an order signed by the Chief of the Assembly and the Assembly Secretary.

33. All elders shall attend the union meetings in their respective districts, and those pastoring, in the district where they pastor.

34. That all deacons and officers shall cooperate with their pastor, and, upon failure, they shall be excluded from office.

35. All ministers who receive candidates for baptism—the church and pastor shall baptize them as early as possible.

36. No church shall have the right to elect but one elder to serve them during the year, but the pastor has the power to choose any preacher that he may desire to serve on any Sunday during the year.

37. No preacher coming from the denominations shall hold any charge as pastor until he has been in the Assembly twelve months, except in

emergency.

38. No council shall remove a preacher from his church to which he has been called or sent excep tfor cause known against his moral and Christian character.

39. That no deacon shall have the power to close the doors of the church aginst his pastor, or stop him from preaching, but may notify the seven councilmen.

40. No church shall run another preacher against the pastor, and he shall be voted on first—should a majority of the financial members vote against him, the church may vote on other preachers, two or more. This election shall be held in the regular conference or on the regular preaching Sunday in September. If held in conference or on the regular preaching Sunday, the members must be notified in advance.

41. No member shall have the right to invite any elder to come and preach to the congregation to which he or she belongs except by permission from the pastor or deacon, and said invited preacher shall not accept said invitation unless the pastor is aware of it.

42. There shall be a Sunday School Assembly held in every union meeting district annually and the proceeds shall be reported to the Assembly.

43. All pastors in charge of churches shall have control of all money raised in preaching service except expenses of church service on said day.

44. No church shall ordain a man as deacon who has not been in the church one year.

45. The officers of the Assembly shall be elected annually. The nominating committee shall be appointed by the house, no one nominating more than one committeeman, and the nominee no one.

46. Resolved, that these resolutions go into effect upon their adoption by the General Assembly, and all pastors who fail to comply with any one or more of them shall be silenced until he does comply.

47. That all women preachers among the disciples shall have a pastor, and be subject to their pastors in regards to their mission or church.

48. Resolved, that the trustee board of the Goldsboro and Raleigh district shall not have the power to give a mortgage or note, or borrow money on the school property without the consent of the Assembly, and Chief and councilmen of the G. R. D. No money shall be paid out of the treasury of either the Assembly, the school or the superannuated except by an order signed by the Chief and Secretary of the Assembly.

49. That should a complaint arise against a minister, the chairman of the council board shall be notified, and the defendant shall also be notified as to time and place. Such notices shall be given by the Chief and council board.

50. That the councilmen shall be empowered to settle all matters that may arise during the year, and in case their decision seems severe, the person or persons shall have the right of appeal to the Assembly for a vote on their decision.

51. That no sinner shall be a member of any of our choirs, and no quartet composed of sinners shall be allowed in any of our churches.

52. That any district assembly organized within our boundaries other than under the auspices of this Assembly shall be considered bogus and unauthorized.

53. That no member or members shall organize anything in the churches without the consent of the pastor and deacon board.

54. Resolved, that there be no prohibition against a preacher of the western district pastoring in the east, and eastern preachers pastoring in the west, provided, however, that the churches represent in their respective districts, and pastor shall be held responsible for said fund and its delivery.

55. That all deacons be required to attend Sunday School, prayer meeting, and other religious services, and that on time, else they shall be dropped from office and new appointments made by the pastor and church.

56. (See No. 65).

57. Resolved, that we accept the constitution of the Woman's Missionary Society and recommend the following salaries: president, $7.00; vice-president, $3.00; scribe, $7.00; assistant scribe, $3.00; banking committee

to be dropped, and after disbursement at the Convention, balance to be turned over to the treasurer to be sent to the Assembly.

58. Resolved, that there shall not be any drums or timbrels allowed as a form of worship in any of the Churches of Christ in our districts.

59. That there shall be a Ministers' and Layman's Conference held at the Goldsboro Christian Institute, Goldsboro, N. C., each year in the month of June for the ministers and laymen of the Goldsboro and Raleigh district, and a similar conference shall be held in the Washington and Norfolk district at such times as they deem appropriate.

60. That all ministers be compelled to attend the minister's and laymen's conference in their respective districts, and that ministers be requested to study the questions for discussion in the next session.

61. Resolved that the Chiefs shall call the councilmen together and preside when sitting as a Joint Council.

62. The Chief and Assistant Chief shall not serve on the council board.

63. All auxiliaries shall be subject to the Assembly.

64. That all treasurers who misplace money intrusted to their care shall be removed from office until the money is replaced.

65. Resolved, that the Chief receive $20.00; the Assistant Chief $10.00; Scribe $20.00, and Assistant Scribe $10.00 annually for their service.

66. In case of a vacancy occuring between Assemblies by death or any trouble that may occur between church and pastor, the church shall have the right to elect another preacher and notify the Chief and council, and they shall assign said preacher if possible, and any unauthorized minister found interfering in any with filling of such vacancy shall be counciled.

67. Resolved, that all churches use for their communion, unfermented grape juice and unleavened bread, and shall observe the 13th chapter of John, and upon failure shall be reported to the council.

68. That each member pay fifty cents annually for three successive years, and one dollar the fourth year—the extra fifty cents to defray the expenses of the General Assembly—and each church is asked to send one-fourth of the quota.

AIM AND PLEA OF THE CHURCH

We, the Disciples of Christ in eastern North Carolina and Virginia, wishing to be in complete accord and agreement on the doctrine of the Church, set forth the following which has been the slogan of the Church for more than one hundred years:

General aim of the Church—Restoration of the New Testament teaching and practice.

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A. B. Aycock.

Dunn, N. C., November 5, 1943.

Received from the Southern Assembly of Disciples of Christ for building fund at Goldsboro, N. C. $10.00.

Elder W. H. Walker, Chief
Per J. D. Henry, Sec'y.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

At .....

Received .....

Baptized .....

Excluded .....

Died .....

Financial Membership .....

Total Membership .....

Preaching Sunday .....

Delegate .....

Pastor in charge for 19..... Elder.....

Elder..... was elected in September

General Contribution - - - - - - - $.....

Paid Pastor - - - - - - - - - $.....

Paid Other Preachers - - - - - - - $.....

Local Expenses Including Church Repairs - - $.....

Valuation of Church Property - - - - - - $.....

Total - - - - - - - - - - - - $.....

For the year ending ..... 19.....

..... Secretary